

HONORABLE RONALD B. LEIGHTON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

LINDA FORD,

Plaintiff,

v.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C14-5404 RBL

ORDER DENYING APPLICATION
TO PROCEED IN FORMA
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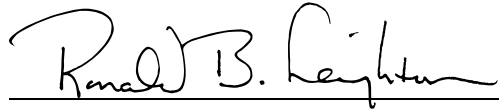
THIS MATTER is before the Court on Plaintiffs' application to proceed in forma pauperis under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). The court has broad discretion in determining an application to proceed in forma pauperis. *Weller v. Dickson*, 314 F.2d 598 (9th Cir. 1963), *cert. denied* 375 U.S. 845 (1963).

Ford's Application does not indicate that she is unable to pay the filing fee. She has a total monthly income of \$2,276 (\$27,312 annual income), has \$3,800 in the bank, and is in the process of purchasing a condominium and a car. It is apparent that Ford is able to pay the filing fee in this case, and should be required to do so. Ford's application to proceed in forma pauperis is **DENIED**.

1 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

2 The Clerk shall send uncertified copies of this order to all counsel of record.

3 Dated this 3rd day of June, 2014.

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5 RONALD B. LEIGHTON
6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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